



Delaware Early Childhood Council

Meeting Agenda

November 15, 2018

9 AM to 11 AM

Meeting held in conjunction with the Wilmington Early Care and Education Council

Colwyck Center – Resource Room - 12 Landers Lane, New Castle, DE 19720

The mission of the DECC is to promote the development of a comprehensive and coordinated early childhood system, birth to eight, which provides the highest quality services and environment for Delaware's children and their families.

8:30 AM..... Networking	All
9:00 AM.....Call to Order/Welcome/Approve Minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clara Martinez Introduction	Madeleine Bayard
9:05 AM.....Budget/Policy Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Governor's Office• DHSS – POC	Jon Sheehan TBD
9:20 AM.....Wilmington Early Care and Education Council Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• WECEC Overview/Accomplishments• WECEC Professional Development Resource Center• DPH – ECCS: Ages & Stages Questionnaires – 3 Kits• Child Care Aware of America, Military Child Care	Dr. Gwendolyn Sanders Leah Leader/Heidi Beck Victoria Mells-Clymer Paulina Gyan/Daphne Evans Julie Johnson
9:40 AM.....Kindergarten Registration Campaign Update	Caitlin Gleason/Diane Frentzel
9:55 AM.....Data Systems Integration: What's Underway and Future Plans	Patches Hill
10:15 AM.....Updates from the Office of Early Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Staffing Update• CCDF Quality Spending Working Group Recommendation<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Infant/Toddler○ Inclusion• PDG (Birth-5) Grant Update• QRIS Redesign Update	Dr. Kimberly Krzanowski Dr. Kimberly Krzanowski Dr. Kimberly Krzanowski John Fisher-Klein
10:30 AM.....Remarks/First Chance Initiative	First Lady Tracey Quillen Carney
10:40 AM.....Subcommittee Chair Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Early Learning Providers and Workforce<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Adhoc committee: ECE expo for high school students○ Meeting – December 11, 2018, 10am – 12pm, Del Tech Terry Campus (tentative)• Data and Policy<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Meeting – January 10, 2019, 2-4pm, De Stars Office (tentative)• Healthy Young Children and Families	Julie Johnson Madeleine Bayard Leslie Newman

10:50 AM.....Consumer Education Website Overview/Public Campaign Lynn Kelley

- Update Meeting – January 15, 2019, 2pm-3:30pm,
At C&FF Office, 91 Wolf Creek Blvd, Suite 2 Training Room, Dover, DE

10:55 AM.....Community Updates

- Delaware Institute for Arts in Education Nanci Hersh
- Reminder: Take the IPA Out of School Survey Kelly Sherretz
- Proposed Federal Immigrant Rule Heidi Beck

11:00 AM.....Close Madeleine Bayard

Next meeting date and location:

January 30, 2019 - 10:00AM-12:00PM

Delaware State Police Troop 2 - Robert Paris Community Room

100 LaGrange Avenue, Newark, DE 19702

Delaware Early Childhood Council Vision

- ***Ready children:*** children who are physically and emotionally healthy, have access to high quality early learning experiences, and enter school prepared to succeed
- ***Ready families:*** families with the knowledge and resources needed to successfully support their children's development and learning
- ***Ready early care and education programs:*** programs that effectively support the growth, development, and learning of all children and are staffed by teachers who are well prepared, well compensated, and well supported
- ***Ready communities:*** communities that embrace their responsibilities for enhancing the quality of life of young children and their families through collaborations across all sectors
- ***Ready schools:*** schools that build upon and further enrich the learning foundations of young children and accelerate their continued success